

Report of 6th National Beach Handball Championship-2009

May 15 to 17,2009

Under the auspices of : Higher Education Commission (Sports Wing)
Organized by : Directorate of Physical Education, university of Karachi.

6th Beach Handball Championship-2009 started from 15th to 17th May,2009 at seaview Karachi organized by Karachi University under the auspices of Higher Education Commission, Islamabad. Karachi University .

About Eight affiliated teams participated in the championship. The teams include five departments i.e. WAPDA, Pakistan Police, HEC, NWFP, KPT, Baluchistan, Punjab, Sindh Province. To give the due coverage in printed and electronic media a press conference was held on 13th May,2009 at Hotel Mehran, Karachi. before the championship in which more than forty journalists attended and also Electronic media ARY, GEO, DUNIYA, AAJ, METRO ONE, THE NEWS ONE PTV were present. Prof. Muhammad Rais Alvi, Registrar University of Karachi, President Sindh Handball Association, Mr. Razzaq Arain and Mr.Khalid Khan, DPE, Greenwich University and also Organizing Secretary, Director Physical Education briefed for media about 6th National Beach Handball Championship-2009.

On 14-05-2009 Manager's meeting was held at Greenwich University at 8:00 p.m. in this meeting the Manager of following teams were present:-

1. Pakistan WAPDA
2. Pakistan Police
3. Punjab
4. Higher Education Commission
5. NWFP
6. Sindh
7. Balochistan
8. Karachi Port Trust

The Registrar, University of Karachi inaugurated the ceremony at Beach side on May 15,2009. All league matches were held on 15th May,2009 at 8:00 p.m. to 2:30 a.m.

At the inaugural ceremony, the entrance and the surroundings of the beach were decorated with the colored buntings, banners and with flags of different size. , which constituted a fascinating sight. National anthem was played by Band and the players, participating in the championship passed with their representing flags before the saluting stage. That immemorial moment of discipline could not express in words.

Organizing secretary, Mrs. Abida Shaheen, Director Physical Education, University of Karachi welcomed the venerated guest in her welcome speech hoping that the three days 6th National Beach Handball Championship-2009 will be held with great discipline, satisfaction of the superiors and pleasure. This is the 1st National Championship being held under the organization of Karachi University and under the aegis of Higher Education Commission.

The out-stationed provincial teams were provided the accommodation at Sports Hostel, University of Karachi. The Higher Education Commission, Karachi also provided Hiace for students from 16-17 May, 2009.

The following are the result of 15-05-2009 (first day)

WAPDA	beat	Sindh	by (2-0) 20-0, 22-5
Balochistan	beat	NWFP	by (2-0) 6-8, 3-8
Pakistan Police	beat	HEC	by (2-1) 14-6, 10-6, 6-8
Punjab	beat	KPT	by (2-0) 10-2, 12-5
HEC	beat	NWFP	by (2-0) 14-7, 19-7
WAPDA	beat	KPT	by (2-0) 22-3, 19-4
Pakistan Police	beat	Balochistan	by (2-0) 18-2, 20-8
Punjab	beat	Sindh	by (2-0) 15-2, 10-4
HEC	beat	Balochistan	by (2-0) 25-10, 26-5
WAPDA	beat	Punjab	by (2-0) 12-7, 12-6
Pakistan Police	beat	NWFP	by (2-0) 22-4, 30-11
KPT	beat	Sindh	by (2-0) 7-6, 5-3

The following semi-finals was played on 16-05-2009 (2nd day)

Pool-A (1st semi-final) on 16-05-2009

HEC VS WAPDA at 9:00 p.m.

WAPDA beat HEC by (2-0 (16-10, 14-10))

Pool-B (2nd semi-final) on 16-05-2009

Police VS Punjab

Police beat Punjab by (11-9, 11-0)

Final on 17-05-2009 (3rd day)

3rd Position's match

HEC VS Punjab

HEC beat Punjab by 2-0 (12-7, 18-12)

WPDA VS Police

WAPDA beat Police by (2-0) 13-8, 16-10

In the final day Prof.Dr.Pirzada Qasim Raza Siddiqui, Vice chancellor, university of Karachi was chief guest on closing ceremony in the last day. The Vice-Chancellor, University of Karachi has announced on behalf of Pakistan Handball Federation for affiliation to Higher Education Commission with Pakistan Handball Federation. .

The Vice-Chancellor and Registrar, University of Karachi and also Vice-Chancellor, Greenwich University appreciated the efforts made by the management to make the event successful and assure for more cooperation and hoped that this exercise be every month in beach side and would continue so that the students might get more chances and could reflect physical and mental fitness in their practical lives and he also assured for practical steps for the promotion of sport after that chief guest awarded shields, trophies,souvenirs to Winner, Runners and Third's position teams..

The distinguished chief guest, Prof.Dr. Pirzada Qasim Raza Siddiqui, Vice-Chancellor assured that he would try his best to extend his help utilizing his covert and overt skills for the promotion of sports. He also congratulated the Mrs. Abida Shaheen, Organizing secretary university of Karachi and her team for holding such a successful event in Karachi. In the last Mrs.Abida Shaheen, Organizing Secretary has requested to Higher Education commission for appointment of Beach Handball Coach on permanent basis to promote Beach Handball in Karachi and Sindh level so that next time HEC can got Winner Trophies.

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and Director Physical Education,
University of Karachi***